

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents United States Patent & Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231	Inventor(s) or Appln. Identifier	Eliot M. Case	9
This application entitled <u>SYSTEM AND M</u>	ETHOD FOR CONV	VERTING TEXT-TO-VOICE	is:
a. A new application under 37 C l	ED 81524)		

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3. X Drawing 4. Oath or 1 a. New b. Copy 5. Incorpor oath or deaccompanies 6. This app § 1.53(d)	ements and other attached papers:	
4 Oath or land a New b Cop. 5 Incorpor oath or daccompare 6 This app § 1.53(d)	Specification (including Claims and Abstract)	[Total Pages 42]
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6 This app § 1.53(d)	Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))	
§ 1.53(d)	Incorporation By Reference: The entire disclosure of the pri oath or declaration is supplied under Item 4b, is considere accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by ref	ed as being part of the disclosure of the
a <i>DEL</i>	This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors nar $\S 1.53(d)(4)$.	ned in the prior application, 37 C.F.R.
	DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior is	nonprovisional application:
b The	The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate	sheet attached hereto.

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I hereby certify that this UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL and the documents referred to as attached therein are being deposited on the below date with the United States Postal Service in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" addressed to: Box Patent Application, Commissioner for Patents, United States Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, D.C. 20231 on:

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7.	Preliminary	Amendment:
	a	A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
	b	Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
	c	Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
		"This is a continuation
		divisional
		of copending application(s) serial number/
		filed on"
	d	A Petition to Suspend Prosecution For The Time Necessary to File An Amendment (New Application Filed Concurrently) is attached.
8.	Small entity	status:
	a	Applicant claims small entity status.
	b	Small entity status was claimed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
	c	Is no longer desired.

FOR	NUMBER FILED		NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS	
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	20	-20 =	0	x 18.00	0	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	1	-3 =	0	x 80.00	0	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 C.F.R. §1.16(d)) 270.00						
BASIC FEE (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a))				710.00		
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS				710.00		
REDUCTION BY 50% FOR FILING BY SMALL ENTITY (NOTE 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)						
\$40.00 ASSIGNMENT RECORDAL FEE (if applicable)						
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10.	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
11.	X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge the following fees (or an deficiency therein) to Qwest Communications International Inc. Deposit Account No. <u>21-0456</u> :
	a. X Fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16.
	b. X Fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.
12.	Maintenance of Copendency of Prior Application
	A request for extension of time and the appropriate fee have been filed in the pending prior application (or are being filed in the prior application concurrently herewith) to extend the period for response until

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9. Fee Calculation:

13.	X An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is attached, along with the following indicated attachments thereto:
	a. X Form PTO/SB/08 (1 sheet(s))
	b. X Copies of references cited
14.	Certified copy of priority document(s)
15.	X Return Receipt Postcard
16.	Other:
17.	An Assignment of the invention tohaving an address of
	a is attached.
	b at Reel, Frame
	c Applicant requests that the above assignee information be published with the application.
18.	The power of attorney in the prior application is to:
	Name of Attorney of Record Reg. No.
	The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
	The power does not appear in the original papers, but was filed on
	A new power has been executed and is attached.
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